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## **DEPARTMENT** OF INSURANCE

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In the Matter of:

VAZIRANI, ANIL

(National Producer Number 3293348)

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No. 18A-135-INS

CONSENT ORDER

Respondent.

The State of Arizona Department of Insurance ("Department") has received evidence that **Anil Vazirani** violated provisions of Title 20, Arizona Revised Statutes. Respondent wishes to resolve this matter without the commencement of formal proceedings, and admits the following Findings of Fact are true and consents to entry of the following Conclusions of Law and Order.

## FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Anil Vazirani ("Vazirani" or "Respondent") is, and was at all material times, licensed as an Arizona resident insurance producer with lines of authority in accident and health or sickness and life, National Producer Number 3293348, which expires August 31, 2020. Vazirani first became licensed with the Department on November 26, 2002.
- Vazirani's address of record with the Department is: 14301 N. 87<sup>th</sup> St., Ste. 216,
   Scottsdale, Arizona 85260-3690 (business and mailing) and VAZIRANI1968@GMAIL.COM (business e-mail).

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### STATE OF CALIFORNIA ACTION

- 3. On or about November 5, 2014, the Insurance Commissioner of the State of California filed an Order of Summary Suspension, In the Matter of the License and Licensing Rights of Anil Vazirani, File No. LCB 1687-A ("California Suspension Order").
- 4. The California Suspension Order suspended Vazirani's restricted license and licensing rights for a period of seven days.
- Vazirani failed to report the California Suspension Order to the Department in writing within 30 days after the final disposition of the matter.

## NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES ACTION

- 6. On or about June 16, 2015, the New York State Department of Financial Services filed a Stipulation against Anil B. Vazirani ("NY Stipulation").
  - 7. The NY Stipulation fined Vazirani in the amount of \$500.
- 8. Vazirani failed to report the NY Stipulation to the Department in writing within 30 days after the final disposition of the matter.

#### FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES ACTION

- 9. On or about February 24, 2015, the Florida Department of Financial Services filed a Consent Order In the Matter of Anil Vazirani, Case number 167547-15-AG ("Florida Consent Order").
- 10. The Florida Consent Order incorporated and approved the Settlement Stipulation for Consent Order dated January 20, 2015 and ordered Vazirani to pay an administrative penalty of \$1500 within 30 calendar days of the entry of the Florida Consent Order.
- 11. Vazirani failed to report the Florida Consent Order to the Department in writing within 30 days after the final disposition of the matter.

12. While Vazirani attempted in good faith to report all of the regulatory actions identified in paragraphs 3, 6 and 9 of this Consent Order to the Department, they were not effectively reported to the Department in writing within 30 days after the final disposition of each respective matter. As such, Vazirani's failure to timely report these regulatory actions was not intentional.

#### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. The Interim Director has jurisdiction over this matter.
- 2. Respondent's conduct, as described above, constitutes failure to report, within 30 days after the final disposition of the matter, any administrative action taken against the producer in another jurisdiction or by another government agency in this state, within the meaning of A.R.S. § 20-301(A).
- 3. Respondent's conduct, as described above, constitutes a violation of any provision of Title 20 or any rule, subpoena or order of the Director, within the meaning of A.R.S. § 20-295(A)(2).
- 4. Respondent's conduct, as described above, constitutes having an insurance producer license, or its equivalent, denied, suspended or revoked in any state, province, district or territory, within the meaning of A.R.S. § 20-295(A)(9).
- 5. Grounds exist for the Director to impose a civil penalty of not more than two hundred fifty dollars for each unintentional failure or violation, up to an aggregate civil penalty of two thousand five hundred dollars or impose a civil penalty of not more than two thousand five hundred dollars for each intentional failure or violation, up to an aggregate civil penalty of fifteen thousand dollars, within the meaning of A.R.S. § 20-295(F).

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#### ORDER

### IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. Respondent shall immediately pay a civil money penalty in the amount of \$750 for deposit into the State General Fund.

DATED AND EFFECTIVE this 23rd day of October, 2018.

Keith A. Schraad

Interim Director of Insurance

## **CONSENT TO ORDER**

- Respondent has reviewed the foregoing Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order.
- Respondent admits the jurisdiction of the Interim Director of Insurance, State of Arizona, and admits the foregoing Findings of Fact and consents to the entry of the foregoing Conclusions of Law and Order.
- 3. Respondent is aware of his right to notice and a hearing at which he may be represented by counsel, present evidence and examine witnesses. Respondent irrevocably waives his right to such notice and hearing and to any court appeals relating to this Consent Order.
- 4. Respondent states that no promise of any kind or nature whatsoever, except as expressly contained in this Consent Order, was made to him to induce him to enter into this Consent Order and that he has entered into this Consent Order voluntarily.
- 5. Respondent acknowledges that the acceptance of this Consent Order by the Interim Director is solely to settle this matter against him and does not preclude any other

1	agency, including the Department, officer, or subdivision of this state or this agency from
2	instituting civil or criminal proceedings as may be appropriate now or in the future.
3	6. Respondent acknowledges that this Consent Order is an administrative action
4	the Department will report to the National Association of Insurance Commissioners (NAIC).
5	Respondent further acknowledges that he must report this administrative action to
6	any and all states in which he holds an insurance license and must disclose this administrative
7	action on any license application.
8	10/11/18
9	Date Anil Vazirani, National Producer No. 3293348
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11	COPIES of the foregoing mailed/delivered this <u>J</u> day of <u>Dobon</u> , 2018, to:
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